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In response to the Examiner's Notice To File Corrected Application Papers dated September 5, 2001, enclosed are the following documents:

- 1) This transmittal letter (in duplicate);
- 2) A copy of the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers;
- 3) A Request for a one-month Extension of Time;
- 4) A Substitute Specification as requested in the Notice;
- 5) A Request for Correction of the Filing Receipt;
- 6) A copy of the Filing Receipt with corrections shown in red; and
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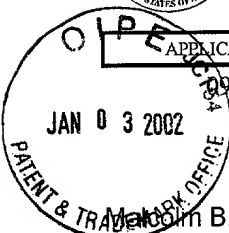
This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- A substitute specification in compliance with 37 CFR 1.52 because:
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